

HOUSE RESOLUTION 45

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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Carey Peacock upon being named the 2008 Realtor of the Year by the Middle Tennessee Association of Realtors.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Carey Peacock, Principal Managing Broker with Royal Properties Realty Co. in Murfreesboro, who has been recognized for her years of service to the real estate industry with the 2008 Realtor of the Year Award from the Middle Tennessee Association of Realtors (MTAR); and

WHEREAS, the Realtor of the Year is given annually to a quality realtor who has not yet received appropriate recognition for his or her professionalism, dedication, hard work, leadership, and hours of service; and

WHEREAS, the award ceremony was held at the Stones River Country Club and attended by more than 400 realtors from the eight counties included in MTAR; and

WHEREAS, at the award ceremony, Mrs. Peacock was described as a professional who leads in her company and in her community and who continually seeks opportunities to enhance the tools of the real estate industry for her clients and for other professionals; and

WHEREAS, Carey Peacock has served with acumen and alacrity as a realtor since 1995, winning the unbridled respect of her clients, peers, and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of her work; she has been the Principal Broker of Royal Properties Realty since 2002; and

WHEREAS, Carey Peacock devotes countless hours to helping her fellow realtors, her community, and this great State through her involvement with numerous committees, associations, and other civic organizations; and

WHEREAS, an active member of MTAR with a commitment to improving the quality of life for others, Mrs. Peacock serves on the MTAR Board of Directors, is the Education Committee Chair, and also teaches Marketing, Top Producers, and Professional Standards and Courtesy classes to realtors within the association; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Peacock sits on the Public Relations Committee, through which she participated in the "Realtor Make a Difference Day" and coordinated the delivery of fifty meals to elderly and disabled people in need; last year, she donated 125 trees for Lascassas Elementary School fourth graders to take home in celebration of Arbor Day; and

WHEREAS, she also co-sponsored a hole in the annual realtor's Bill Carey Golf Scramble at Indian Hills Golf Club, the proceeds of which benefit MTAR's scholarship fund and provide assistance to five high school seniors to ease the financial burden of college tuition; and

WHEREAS, a generous member of her community, Carey Peacock hosts the Milton Cross Country Invitational each year on her family's property in Milton; last year twenty-six middle school teams from across the Mid-State region convened in her backyard to participate in the two-mile run; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Peacock is continually doing something for her local community, serving on the Lascassas Elementary School Athletic Association Board of Directors, and, in 2008, she served as a Voter Registrar for both elections; and

WHEREAS, Carey Peacock recently participated in the MTAR Day on the Hill, during which she visited with several Tennessee State Representatives on Capitol Hill to discuss issues affecting those in the real estate industry; in 2006, she was one of twelve realtors selected from a pool of 2,000 to participate in the MTAR's elite program, Leadership MTAR, which she now teaches; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Peacock is thankful for the loving companionship of her husband, Harper Peacock, and is the proud mother of three small children; and

WHEREAS, she is a faithful and active member of North Boulevard Church of Christ;
and

WHEREAS, Carey Peacock is an intelligent and dedicated professional who is greatly admired in her community; she is passionate about helping buyers find the best home for their needs and has an extensive history of satisfied clients; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Carey Peacock for her stalwart service and dedication to her community, her profession, and the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and commend Carey Peacock upon being named the 2008 Realtor of the Year by the Middle Tennessee Association of Realtors, thank her for meritorious service to the State of Tennessee, and extend to her our best wishes for every continued success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.